

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register: 07 December 2000
 Name of applicant/court: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.
 Applicant to the Labelling Body: Roadshow Entertainment (NZ) Ltd
 Title of Publication: Rules Of Engagement
 Other Known Titles: Not Stated
 Director: William Friedkin
 Producers: Richard D Zanuck, Scott Rudin
 Publisher: Not Applicable
 Author: Not Applicable
 Format: Video Recording VHS/PAL
 Country of Origin: USA
 Language: English

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Components of film originally examined:

Feature:	Rules Of Engagement	Running time:	121.57
Trailers:	Copyright Warning Notice	Running time:	0.21
	Roadshow Entertainment Notice		0.09
	Coming Soon Notice		0.07
	Eye Of The Beholder		2.14
	Gossip		2.03
	Mr Accident		2.05
	Scary Movie		2.25
	Boiler Room		2.13
	The Dish		2.25
	Art Of War		2.20
	Reindeer Games		2.10
	Play It To The Bone		2.08
	Warner Bros. Movie World Notice		0.32
	Roadshow Entertainment Notice		0.12

Total Running time: 143.21

Excision/Alteration: No.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years.

Display Conditions:

Nil.

Descriptive Note:

Contains violence and offensive language.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: 06 December 2000

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The video recording entitled *Rules Of Engagement* is classified as:
Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years.

The video recording contains a version of the 35mm film of the same title classified by the Office of Film and Literature Classification as objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 16 years, with the descriptive note 'Contains violence and offensive language.' This decision was registered on 23rd August 2000. A version of the feature, in addition to other components, was submitted to the Office on DVD format. This DVD also received the same classification and was registered on 30th October 2000.

The video recording contains nine trailers which advertise a range of American thrillers and Australian comedies. However, these additional components do not affect the classification given to the 35mm film or the DVD.

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